

Senate Bill 644

By: Senators Hudgens of the 47th and Kemp of the 46th

AS PASSED

AN ACT

To provide for the compensation of the members and chairperson of the board of education of Madison County; to provide for procedures relative to such increase in compensation; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

(a)(1) The chairperson of the board of education of Madison County shall receive a monthly salary in an amount equal to 10 percent of the monthly salary for a Georgia teacher with 0 years of service, salary step E, and a T-4 certificate as set forth in the Official State Salary Schedule for Georgia Educators.

(2) Members of the board of education of Madison County other than the chairperson shall receive a monthly salary equal to 8 percent of the monthly salary for a Georgia teacher with 0 years of service, salary step E, and a T-4 certificate as set forth in the Official State Salary Schedule for Georgia Educators.

(b) In addition to the salary provided for in subsection (a) of this section, each member of the board shall be compensated for each day of attendance at meetings and functions of the board outside the Madison County School District in the amount of 5 percent of the monthly salary for a Georgia teacher with 0 years of service, salary step E, and a T-4 certificate as set forth in the Official State Salary Schedule for Georgia Educators.

SECTION 2.

The chairperson and members of the board of education shall receive the compensation provided in Section 1 of this Act only after performing the following procedures: the board of education shall advertise, at least seven days in advance, a public hearing on the subject of the increase in compensation; at such public hearing or another meeting of the board of education after due notice that the increase in compensation will be discussed, the board will receive comments from the public and shall adopt, by majority vote, a resolution setting out the board's request for such increase in compensation. Failure or refusal to follow these

procedures in full shall make the changes in compensation set out in this subsection void and of no effect.

SECTION 3.

Except as otherwise provided in Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall become effective on the first day of the month following the month in which it is approved by the Governor or in which it becomes law without such approval.

SECTION 4.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.